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SOCIETY
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D. WILLIS JAMES,
ALFRED PELL.

CLASS OF NURSES GRADUATED,

November 8th, 1877.

Miss VIOLETTA HIBBARD,	Mass.
“ CHARLOTTE M. GOSLING.	England.
“ MARIE MACKEY,	Ireland.
“ ELIZA SCHULTZ,	Germany.
“ CORNELIA B. CRANDALL,	Georgia.
Mrs. HESTER MORSE,	New York.
Miss JANE E. SANGSTER,	Nova Scotia.
“ FANNIE FOWLER,	England.
“ MARY E. KERR,	New York.
“ SARAH WEST,	Maryland.
“ SUSAN WEST,	Maryland.
“ KATIE RICH,	Vermont.

**Graduates practising in New York, addresses to be
obtained of the Superintendent, 426 E. 26th St.**

Miss BRADY,	Miss KENYON,
“ BRENNAN,	“ KERR,
“ BUCK,	“ MILLER,
“ DEMING,	Mrs. MORSE,
“ FOWLER,	“ REID,
“ GOSLING,	Miss SCHULTZ.
“ JORDAN,	

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REPORT.

SINCE the last Annual Report of the Training School, the number of nurses has increased to fifty-six, who receive their training by the bedsides of two hundred patients in Bellevue Hospital. Besides the hospital work, one hundred and eleven persons have been nursed in private houses.

In November a class of twelve passed the requisite examinations, and received their diplomas. Thirteen graduated nurses are now practicing their profession in New York, and twelve in the School are detailed for private service. Three of last year's graduates are now heads of hospitals in Quincy, Ill., Buffalo and Savannah. The latter writes: "If you could have seen me with my apron on at an early hour sweeping an enormous ward, looking in at the mother and baby, directing the two orderlies, dressing blisters, applying poultices, in the male ward and in the basement, visiting from room to room, taking inventory of linen-room, and making out list of articles required, you would, I am sure, feel satisfied that my training in Bellevue was not in vain. Without that training I should have been unequal to the duties I assumed here for several weeks after my arrival."

The Managers attach great importance to the reports which nurses may bring back with them from private service, and they earnestly request that those who employ a nurse from the Training School, will

not fail to write to the Superintendent their opinion of her conduct and efficiency while in their service. It will be of great benefit both to the nurse and to the School.

For the benefit of those who are ignorant of the course of instruction, we recapitulate the manner in which pupils are trained :

1st. By the head nurse of the ward to which they are assigned, in general "Ward work," and in the personal care of the patients.

2d. By the Assistant Superintendent in physiology, management of a sick-room, and the duties of a nurse.

3d. By physicians and surgeons at the bedside of the patients.

4th. By lectures.

The Managers gratefully acknowledge the following lectures, delivered during the past year :

5, on Diseases of Women and Children, by Dr. Beverly Robinson.

2, on The Care of Infants, by Dr. Symington.

2, on The Nerves, by Dr. Goldthwaite.

2, on Obstetrics, by Dr. Taylor.

2, on The Heart, by Dr. Norris.

2, on Hemorrhages, by Dr. Burke.

1, on Anesthetics, by Dr. W. J. Morton.

And lessons in Bandaging, by Orderly Sullivan.

We cannot close this notice of our lectures without alluding to Dr. Alpheus Crosby, in whose death the Training School has lost a most valuable friend and adviser. With the genial good will which characterized him, he gave yearly lectures to the nurses, and the one now so well-known as the "Model Sick-Room," was composed for their special benefit. Those nurses who were so fortunate as to receive his instructions, can never forget them, adorned as they were with that wealth of illustration which made Dr. Crosby celebrated as a lecturer throughout the

country. Nor will the brilliant and impressive address which he delivered at the last Annual Meeting of the Society, soon be forgotten by the large audience assembled to hear it in Grace Hall.

Manual for Nurses.

A Manual is now in course of publication by Messrs. G. P. Putnam's Sons, which is intended not only as a text-book for nurses, but also for use in private families. Previous to its composition we had valuable advice from Dr. Emily Blackwell, and we received most cordial permission from Miss Zepherrina Veitch (now Mrs. Henry Smith), and Ed. Domville to make whatever use of their Manuals we pleased.

Of course we have taken many of our ideas from Miss Nightingale, and also from Miss Florence Lees. Thanks are due to Miss Victoria White, who has compiled the work, and also to Dr. Mary Putnam Jacobi who has carefully revised it, and we most earnestly trust that it may prove a useful book.

In their last Annual Report the Managers of the Training School, spoke of two branches of work for the relief of suffering, which they felt ought to flow from the School in Bellevue Hospital. These were: The establishment of an Emergency Hospital and District Nursing among the poor.

*1st. Emergency Hospital.**

Last spring the Commissioners of Charities decided to fit up a commodious, two-story building in Twenty-sixth street, not far from Bellevue Hospital, for this purpose. It had been used for a Dispensary, and was divided into two well-ventilated, cheerful wards, each containing six beds, and was opened for the reception of patients, on June 13th. The Managers

* For the relief of women found in labor in the streets or station-house.

of the Training School placed a head nurse and night nurse there with the necessary assistants. This besides being a real work of humanity, gives the nurses an experience in obstetrical training which they cannot obtain at Bellevue.

There have been forty-eight births at this Emergency Hospital since June 13th, besides many women received during the night or on a Sunday (when the boat does not run), who were able to be moved to Charity Hospital before confinement.

2d. District Nursing among the Poor.

Last February a nurse, who had just graduated, decided to devote herself to nursing the sick poor in their own homes, under the auspices of the City Mission. A few extracts from her reports to that Mission, will give an idea of what this work during the past year has been.

From March, 1876, to November, 1877.

935 visits to homes of poor.

50 Dispensary visits.

20 garments lent.

“March. I have now three surgical cases, one a little girl of six, with hip-joint disease, has six running sores. When I first visited her, she had nothing to protect her clothes from the discharge. I dressed her with oakum and bandages every day but Sunday, and shall soon be able to teach her mother to do it.

“May. One case, confined about the middle of April, had a tedious illness, and repeated attacks of hemorrhage. They have suffered great want, some days quite without food. I was thankful, indeed, in this case, to have means to leave half a dollar at a time, when I found them in utter destitution.

“Poor Mrs. Green suffered greatly. I used to be there two and three hours some days; she finally consented to go to the Presbyterian Hospital. I happened to be there, the afternoon of her death, and held her hand as she passed away. It was pleasant to remember a passage of Scripture she quoted the first time I saw her: ‘For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have

a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.'

"*June.* One thing which distresses me much in visiting, is to find whole families, children and grown people, living on bread and tea. Of three families whom I questioned about their food, to-day, two had only this, and were glad to have so much, the others had nothing to eat.

"A case of confinement in Willet Street, a Swiss woman, was glad and grateful for my help. I went daily for nearly two weeks, washed and dressed the baby, swept, dusted, and made the beds, and was able to help her in the matter of nourishment. I usually spent two or three hours there.

"I was much amused, in visiting a sick child, to see the mother removing a jacket poultice of about two pounds' weight. I assured her she did not need any such thickness, and sewed some straps for the shoulders, as the hard knots were chafing his skin.

"*September.* On returning from my vacation, found that four whom I used to visit, had passed away. One of them, Mrs. Iles, whom I dressed for more than three months (eighty-five visits altogether), a great sufferer, and a very patient one, has, I trust, entered into rest.

"*October.* To a German man I have made, altogether, sixty-six calls. The ulcer, which was eight or nine inches long when I began, is now closed up, and only requires bandaging.

"On the eighth of October, I was sent to a child with typhoid fever, a little German girl twelve years old. The mother, who was just home from the hospital, was worn out with anxiety, fatigue and want of sleep. I began at once, and spent all the time I could with her, making the mother take some sleep in the day-time. For a day or two we gave up all hope, then she began to mend by slow degrees. All the knowledge I could command has been brought into requisition here, as there have been several things ordered by the doctor, which the mother could not do. When I went there, although suffering from hemorrhage of the nose, mouth and kidneys, she was lifted to nearly a sitting posture, every hour, to take medicines and nourishment. I had a feeding cup, and she has used it ever since, as it allows her to drink lying down. At one time her mind was so weak she forgot the Lord's Prayer, and asked me to repeat it, that she might say it after me. She seems to enjoy having me read the Testament, when she feels bright enough to listen.

"*November.* One confinement case, where I took care of the baby, was a German woman with a blind husband. Dur-

ing the convalescence the only child who was earning anything, had her face badly burned by an accident with gas.

"Another confinement case was a young German woman in Twenty-ninth street. It gave me peculiar pleasure to minister to her, as I found her a member of the German Mission of my own church. She is living alone with her two babies, her husband having gone West to look for work."

This District Nurse is supported by one of the Managers of the Training School, and since the above extracts show what practical good is accomplished among the poor, by this means, this work is again earnestly commended by the Board of Managers, to the Churches of the City, and also to Christian ladies, who may desire to devote their means to some special work.

Among the nurses educated in the Hospital, there are almost always some who have become so interested in work among the poor, that they prefer it to any branch of nursing.

An experienced Bible Reader entered the Hospital last spring to fit herself for nursing in the homes of the poor, and will shortly enter on that work.

Superintendent's Diet Kitchen.

The Superintendent of the School has always endeavored to teach the nurses the preparation of articles of special diet for the sick. But this branch of instruction was somewhat restricted, as the Managers felt they had no right to use the funds of the School for such a purpose. Last February one of the visitors of the Bellevue Local Visiting Committee made a special donation to provide all the materials that were required for a Diet Kitchen, and the Superintendent details a nurse each month to take charge of this department, in a small kitchen attached to her rooms in the Hospital.

Patients in the last stages of disease are often unable to take anything but the little delicacies provided in this way, and which are not a part of the

Hospital diet. An old Italian, who died in the Hospital last summer, was gratified by having the macaroni he longed for. An American (a thoroughly respectable man), dying of consumption, was nourished solely, for the last weeks of his life, with the food prepared in this Kitchen; his gratitude was very touching.

The New Home for the Nurses.

The founders of the School were impressed from the beginning with the importance of giving the Nurses a Home, "not a mere lodging, but a comfortable Home, where after their daily labors they may find relaxation and rest, free from the depressing influences of the Hospital."* For this purpose they fitted up, simply but comfortably, two houses not far from the Hospital, which were occupied for four years, and there is no doubt that the unusual exemption from illness which the Nurses have enjoyed is largely owing to their cheerful and healthy surroundings. But as the staff of Nurses increased, the houses became inconveniently crowded, and early in January a building nearer to the Hospital, which might easily be adapted to their purpose, was offered to the Managers as a desirable purchase. It was accordingly bought by Mrs. William H. Osborn; two stories were added to it and the Messrs. Jardine Bros. remodeled it in such a way as to make it a complete and beautiful Home for sixty Nurses with the necessary servants. When finished, Mrs. Osborn tendered it, rent free, to the Society for a term of years.

The evening of November 8th the house was formally opened and dedicated with prayer and praise as a Christian Home for those who are to do God's service among His poor and sick. We fervently hope that the Spirit of Him who inspired the giver of this

* See Report on a Training School for Nurses to be attached to Bellevue Hospital. Dec. 23d, 1872.

Home, may enter into the hearts of those who may dwell in it and that they may carry with them wherever they go that jewel which the Jewish legend tells us Abraham wore upon his breast, whose light raised those who were bowed down and healed the sick.

The Managers feel that the School is constantly improving. Increased experience in a work so new in America, enables them to make the instruction more thorough and the character and education of the women, who enter the School in order to make nursing a profession is now so high as to win the respect of the public and medical men. As a proof of this we would refer to the testimonials which have been received from some of the doctors who have employed the nurses. But like all Institutions, public and private, the donations and subscriptions have fallen off during this year, so memorable for financial reverses, and although after the 1st of May, 1878, the Society will not be burdened, as they have been, with a heavy rent, still the School is far from self-sustaining, and we earnestly beg those, who must see the benefit the whole city derives from this work, to assist us in its support. This is too new an organization to have any endowment fund whatever, hence we are forced to make this appeal to the public.

Owing to the state of the finances of the School, the Managers resolved that the monthly payment to all new applicants must be reduced—probationers to nine dollars, and nurses to fifteen dollars.

On hearing this the present staff of nurses, offered voluntarily to accept the same reduction, thus saving six hundred dollars to the institution. The managers truly appreciate this sacrifice as a token of the real interest their nurses take in the welfare of the school.

By order of the Board of Managers,

ANGELICA L. HAMILTON, *President.*

HARRIET D. FELLOWES, *Secretary.*

TESTIMONIALS.

The following resolution was presented by Dr. AUSTIN FLINT, at a meeting of the Medical Board of BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, December 31st, 1877.

Whereas, After the experience of several years, it is the opinion of this Board, that the Training School for Nurses has proved of incalculable benefit to Bellevue Hospital, by securing for the patients intelligent, skilled and faithful nursing, and,

Whereas, In private practice members of this Board, have had abundant opportunities to observe the superior qualifications of those who have graduated from the School, as compared with nurses who have not been systematically trained, to perform the duties of their calling, therefore,

Resolved, That this Board commend most heartily the Training School to the favorable consideration and fostering care of the Commissioners, and all who have at heart the interest of the sick poor, and who desire to be able in time of sickness, to receive for themselves or in behalf of their friends the services of those, who are prepared by education and experience to perform the responsible duties of a professional nurse.

Carried unanimously,

JOHN G. CURTIS, *Secretary, pro. tem.*

Letter from W. H. DRAPER, M. D.

DEAR MADAM,—I regret extremely that absence from town will prevent my presence this evening at the opening of the New Home for the Training School for Nurses.

I have always felt a deep interest in the work in which you are engaged. The more exact methods, which modern science has introduced in the treatment of disease, have created a demand for more intelligent and better trained nurses, than were formerly entrusted with the care of the sick. A considerable experience with the nurses from your Institution has convinced me that you have met this demand with a success that calls for the active sympathy and cordial support of the profession and the public.

I sincerely hope that with the enlarged facilities afforded by your New Home, you may meet with the encouragement you so eminently deserve.

Very respectfully your obedient servant,

W. H. DRAPER, M. D.

The following are a few of the Testimonials received from physicians, out of New York, who have employed Nurses :

It gives me the utmost pleasure to state that Miss L. possesses every attribute a good nurse ought to have. She is kind, tender, clear of head, intelligent, very quietly in command of herself in emergencies. She shows what kind of a nurse thorough training makes of a lady. I was sorry to lose her.

Philadelphia.

WEIR MITCHELL, M. D.

I most cheerfully comply with regulation No. 2 of this circular, in giving my opinion in regard to the efficiency of Mrs. R. as nurse. During the past two weeks, while Mrs. R. has been assisting me in a very trying and severe case of diphtheria, I have had an abundant opportunity to form an estimate of her ability and efficiency, and I can but say that I consider her a superior nurse in *every quality*; neatness, promptness, faithfulness and willingness in carrying out directions, intelligent observation, close watchfulness, and superior discriminating power, together with tact, kindness and gentleness with the patient, and I feel that she can be implicitly trusted by a physician in carrying out his instructions, in an intelligent manner. In a serious case of sickness, I would desire no better nurse than Mrs. R.

Newport, R. I.

FRANCIS H. RANKIN, M. D.

The conduct of Miss D., during her attendance, has been in all respects satisfactory, and in the performance of her duties, she has shown good judgment and efficiency.

Albany.

THOMAS HUN, M. D.

It gives me pleasure to state to you that Miss W., whom you sent to Lenox as nurse, has discharged her duty to the entire satisfaction of all parties. She proved a kind, patient and efficient nurse.

Lenox, Mass.

C. C. HOLCOMBE, M. D.

We quote from a Buffalo journal:

Mrs. R. J. Sherman read the annual report. After noticing the minor improvements in the interior of the hospital, the report states that perhaps the most essential change that has been made under the ladies' administration this year has been the establishment of a new plan by which the nursing is regulated. The need of skilled and trained nurses is of first importance in every hospital. And it has long been known that in this respect the hospital was sadly deficient and not at all on a footing with similar institutions in other places. But the difficulty has been in fixing upon a plan that would compass the requirements and yet not overgo its financial possibilities. Many suggestions have been made and much effort put forth to obtain information, secure the proper persons, etc. The result has been the installment of Miss Gray, from Bellevue, New York, as head directress, over a corps of five nurses, who are to be directed by her alone, and to whom she is to impart the same course of thorough training which she has herself received at Bellevue. At the expiration of two years the nurses under Miss Gray will be given diplomas, and be pronounced prepared for their profession. It is hoped even that from this nucleus a training-school may be formed and become a fixed department in the hospital, and from which nurses may be obtained for the bed-side of sick persons wherever required.

RULES FOR PUPILS
OF THE
Training School for Nurses,
ATTACHED TO
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

The Committee of the Training School for Nurses, has made arrangements with the Authorities of Bellevue Hospital, for giving two years' training to women desirous of becoming professional nurses.

Those wishing to receive this course of instruction must apply to the Superintendent of the Training School, 426 East 26th Street, New York, upon whose approval they will be accepted as pupils in the Hospital. The Candidates must be over twenty-one years of age, and must present, on application, a certificate from a clergymen and a physician as to their good moral character and sound health.

They will be received for one month on probation. During this month they are boarded and lodged at the expense of the School, but receive no compensation if they leave before the expiration of the month, or are found unsuitable by the Superintendent.

They will be under the authority of the Superintendent, and subject to the rules of the Hospital. The Superintendent will have full power to decide as to their fitness for the work, and the propriety of retaining or dismissing them at the end of the month of trial. She can also discharge them at any time in case of misconduct or inefficiency, with the approval of the Committee.

They will reside in the Home near the Hospital, and serve as assistant nurses in the wards of the Hospital.

COURSE OF TRAINING.

Those fulfilling the conditions of the probationary month, will be accepted as Pupil Nurses. They must agree to remain at the school for one year, and after that time to consider themselves subject to the order of the Committee, (of whom the Superintendent will make one,) for an additional year, making two years in all, in consideration of training received.

The instruction includes,

1. The dressing of blisters, burns, sores and wounds; the application of fomentation, poultices and minor dressings.
2. The application of leeches externally and internally.
3. The administration of enemias.

4. The management of trusses and appliances for uterine complaints.

5. The best method of friction to the body and extremities.

6. The management of helpless patients; making beds, moving, changing, giving baths in bed, preventing and dressing bed-sores, and managing positions.

7. Bandaging, making bandages and rollers, lining of splints.

The pupil nurses will attend operations and assist at them.

They will be taught every kind of sick-cookery, and the preparation of drinks and stimulants for the sick. To understand thoroughly the art of ventilation without chilling the patient, both in private houses and in hospital wards, and all that pertains to night, in distinction from day nursing.

To make accurate observations and report to the physician of the state of the secretions, expectoration, pulse, skin, appetite, temperature of the body, intelligence, as delirium or stupor, breathing, sleep, condition of wounds, eruptions, formation of matter, effect of diet, or of stimulants, or of medicines; and to learn the management of convalescents.

The teaching will be given by attending and resident physicians and surgeons at the bedside of the patients, by the Superintendent, and by the Head Nurses.

The pupils will pass through the different wards, serving and being taught for one year. They will board and lodge at the Home, and will be paid \$9.00 (nine dollars) a month for their clothing and personal expenses. This sum is in no manner intended as wages, it being considered that their education during this time will be a full equivalent for their services.

They are required to wear the dress of the Institution, viz.: a gray stuff dress in winter, and calico in summer, (simply made,) a white apron and cap, and brown linen cuffs covering the sleeve from wrist to elbow. Nurses will be cared for in illness at the Home.

At the expiration of the year, they will be promoted to such positions as they may be found capable of holding, with an increase of salary.

When the full term of two years is ended, the nurses thus trained will be at liberty to choose their own field of labor, whether in Hospitals, in private families, or in district nursing among the poor. On leaving the School, they will, on passing an examination, each receive a diploma signed by the Examining Board and by a Committee of the Board of Managers.

N. B.—This Paper to be filled in (in the Candidate's own handwriting.) and sent to the Superintendent of Training School, 426 East 26th Street, New York.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY CANDIDATE.

1. Name in full and present address of Candidate }
2. Are you a single woman or widow? }
3. Your present occupation or employment? }
4. Age last birthday, and date and place of birth? }
5. Height? Weight?
6. Where educated?
7. Are you strong and healthy? and have you always been so? }
8. Are your sight and hearing perfect? }
9. Have you any physical defects?
10. Have you any tendency to pulmonary complaint? }
11. If a widow, have you children? How many? Their ages? How are they provided for? }
12. Where (if any) was your last situation? How long were you in it? }
13. The names in full and addresses of two persons to be referred to. State how long each has known you. If previously employed, one of these must be the last employer. } has known me years.
.....
..... has known me years.
14. Have you read and do you clearly understand the Regulations? }

I declare the above statement to be correct.

Date.....

Signed.....

Candidate.

PAPER TO BE SENT TO EMPLOYERS.

NEW YORK TRAINING SCHOOL AND HOME FOR NURSES.
426 East 26th Street.

Date.....18

This day the Nurse.....
has been sent, on the recommendation of.....
to nurse in the case of.....

Signed,

.....
Sup't.

REGULATIONS.

Attention is requested to the following Regulations :—

1.—That the charge for the services of a Nurse for each week be.....to be paid at the end of every four weeks if the nurse's services are required for that period or longer. Traveling Expenses and Washing to be paid by the family employing the Nurse.

That all applications be made personally, or in writing, to the Lady Superintendent.

2.—That when the Nurse's services are no longer required this sheet of paper be returned, sealed up, with a candid statement on the fly-leaf, of her conduct and efficiency, either from one of the family or the Medical Attendant, together with information of the amount to be paid, and whether it is enclosed or will be paid at the Institution.

3.—That the Nurse be allowed reasonable time for rest in every twenty-four hours : and that when the services are needed for several consecutive nights, at least six hours in the day out of the sick-room, be given.

4.—That, except in cases of extreme illness, the Nurse be allowed opportunity to attend church once every Sunday.

5.—That the Nurse wear the dress prescribed for her by the regulations of the Institution.

PAPER TO BE FILLED BY EMPLOYERS.

Date.....18

The services of the Nurse.....
being no longer required, she is this day set at
 liberty to return home, and the sum of \$, being the remun-
 eration for her attendance, is

Signed,

Conduct and Efficiency, or other remarks.

Training School for Nurses.

ATTACHED TO

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

RULES FOR NURSES GOING OUT TO PRIVATE SERVICE.

1st. That the Nurses are to attend the sick, both rich and poor, at Hospital or Private Homes, as the Committee or Superintendent may appoint.

2d. That when sent from the Home to attend a patient, they receive their instructions from the Superintendent, and do not leave the case without communicating with her; this they can do by letter at any time.

3d. That while on duty in the Home, at the Hospital, or in Private Houses, the regulations of the School, with regard to dress, are to be observed by the Nurse.

4th. That a Nurse is always to bring back with her a certificate of conduct and efficiency from the family of her patient, or from the medical attendant.

It is expected that nurses will bear in mind the importance of the situation they have undertaken, and will evince, at all times, the self-denial, forbearance, gentleness and good temper so essential in their attendance on the sick and also to their character as Christian Nurses. They are to take the whole charge of the sick room, doing every thing that is requisite in it, when called upon to do so. When nursing in families where there are no servants, if their attention be not of necessity wholly devoted to their patient, they are expected to make themselves generally useful. They are to be careful not to increase the expenses of the family in any way. They are also most earnestly charged to hold sacred the knowledge which, to a certain extent they must obtain of the private affairs of such household or individuals as they may attend.

Communications from or on the subject of Nurses may be made personally, or by letter, to the

SUPERINTENDENT,

Nurses' Home, 426 E. 26th Street, N. Y.

TREASURER'S REPORT, TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

From January 1st, 1877, to January 1st, 1878.

<i>Paid for</i>		
Furniture and Repairs.....	\$430 37	
Insurance on Furniture.....	25 00	
Water Tax.....	34 00	
Rent.....	3,033 34	
Stationery and Printing.....	225 63	
Commission on Collections.....	38 00	
Incidental Expenses.....	229 40	
Maintenance of "Home for Nurses,"	7,385 92	
Salaries of Superintendent, Assistant and Matron.....	1,360 00	
Pay of Orderly.....	245 00	
Pay of Nurses.....	7,525 78	
Servants' Wages.....	1,042 00	
Balance, Jan. 1, 1878.....	\$21,574 44	
	73 19	
	\$21,647 63	
1878.		
Jan. 1. Unpaid bills for supplies....	\$1,125 81	
Loan to be repaid.....	1,000 00	
	\$2,125 81	

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1877.....	\$1,860 51
<i>Received from</i>	
Bellevue Hospital for pay and board of Nurses.....	4,479 00
Private Families for services of Nurses.	5,658 29
Board, tuition and entrance money...	146 00
Sale of Articles.....	31 83
From Excise Fund.....	1,000 00
Century Fund to meet deficiencies of '76	270 00
Life Memberships.....	300 00
Life Associate Memberships.....	100 00
Donations.....	3,366 00
Subscriptions.....	4,436 00
Temporary Loan.....	1,000 00

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Jan. 7, 1878.

Examined and found correct,

D. WILLIS JAMES, } *Auditing Committee.*
W. H. OSBORN, }

\$21,647 63

DONATIONS,

Received from Jan. 1st, 1877, to Jan. 1st, 1878.

Astor, Mrs. W. B....	\$100 00	Gibbs, Mr. Theodore.	\$15 00
Agnew, Mr. A. McL.	15 00	Gerry, Mrs. T. C.....	25 00
Busk & Jevons.....	25 00	Goddard, Mrs. J.	
Baring, Hon. F. H... 100 00		Warren.....	10 00
Battell, Mr. Robbins.	10 00	Holt, Mr. Henry.....	16 00
Bailey, Miss.....	15 00	Hamilton, Mrs. Alex.	50 00
Brown, Mr. James...	10 00	Haight. Mrs. M. E...	25 00
Brown, Mr. James M.	10 00	Hammersley, Mr. John	
Brown, Mr. J. Crosby	10 00	W.....	50 00
Brown, Mrs. James..	100 00	Jesup, Mrs. Morris K.	25 00
Brown, Mr. A. H ..	100 00	James, Mrs. D. Willis.	100 00
Church, Mr. F. E....	50 00	Jones, Mrs. J. D.....	50 00
Carey, Mr. John, Jr..	100 00	Kuhn, Mrs. Hartman.	15 00
C., Mr. R. L. through		King, Mr. O. K.....	5 00
Mrs. Swett	10 00	Loeser, Mr. Frederick	29 00
Coles, Mrs. W. F ...	50 00	Livingston, Mr. R. J.	250 00
Cullum, Mrs. Gen'l...	50 00	Lord, Mrs. Daniel...	25 00
Dickey, Mr. Chas. D.	60 00	Moore, Mrs. C. B ...	5 00
Dunmoody, Mrs.....	200 00	Marié, Mr. P.....	7 00
Feidler, Mrs.....	5 00	Ottendorfer, Mrs. Os-	
Friend, through Mrs.		wald	15 00
Swett.....	5 00	Perkins, Mrs. C. E... 4 00	
Friend, through Mrs.		Phelps, Mr. Royal... 20 00	
Crosby	5 00	Prime, Mr. Frederick.	5 00
Friend, through Mr.		Pritchard, Mr. Wm..	25 00
A. Hamilton	250 00	Renwick, Mrs. H. B..	15 00
Griffin, Mrs. W. P., in			
Memoriam of J. L. R.	50 00		
Griffin, Mrs. W. P., in			
Memoriam	10 00		

Robinson, Mrs. Douglass	\$10 00	Tatham, Mr. Edward, Treasurer of the Murray Fund	\$25 00
Shaw, Mrs. Francis G.	15 00	Van Alen, Gen'l J. H.	100 00
Stewart, Mrs. A. T..	100 00	Wright, Mrs. J. B...	10 00
Sturges, Mr. Edward.	100 00	Wheelock, Mrs. Geo. G.	5 00
Sturges, Mr. Frederick	100 00	Donation from Mr. W. H. Osborn, of carpets and gas-fixtures for the New Home, value	1100 00
Sturges, Mr. Henry C.	15 00	Sideboard for dining room, from Mr. D. Lydig Suydam.	
Sturges, Mrs. Jonathan	50 00		
Stuart, Messrs. R. L. & A.....	50 00		
Shaw, Mrs. Robt. G.	25 00		
Stevens, Mrs. F. W..	100 00		
Shearman, Mr. Isaac.	500 00		
Stoughton, Mr. E. W.	25 00		
Sullivan, Mrs. James.	10 00		

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SUBSCRIPTIONS

To the Century Fund for deficiency of 1876, paid in 1877.

Astor, Mrs. J. J	\$10 00	James, Mr. D. Willis.	\$10 00
Appleton, Mrs. D. S.	10 00	Osborn, Mrs. W. H..	50 00
Adams, Mrs. T. M...	10 00	Potter, Mr. C. N.....	50 00
Butler, Mrs. C. E....	10 00	Potter, Mrs. M. L...	10 00
Dodge, Mrs. W. E., Jr.	10 00	Roosevelt, Mr. Theo.	10 00
Hadden, Mrs. Wm. A.	10 00	Sturges, Mrs. Johathan	50 00
Hitchcock, Miss S. M	10 00	Woodworth, Mrs. R..	10 00
Hamilton, Mr. A....	10 00		

HONORARY MEMBER.

MISS EUPHEMIA VAN RENSSELAER.

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QUALIFICATIONS FOR BELONGING TO THE SOCIETY
OF "THE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES."

A donation, at one time of \$100, constitutes one a Life-Member.

A donation, at one time of \$50, constitutes one a Life Associate Member.

An annual subscription of \$10, constitutes a person a Member.

An annual subscription of \$5, constitutes one an Associate Member.

LIFE-MEMBERS FOR 1877.

READ, MISS MARY	\$100 00
WOOLSEY, MISS JANE	100 00
WETMORE, MR. GEORGE PEABODY .	100 00

LIFE ASSOCIATE MEMBERS FOR 1877.

CANFIELD, MRS.	\$50 00
FORD, MISS H.	50 00

ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS.

Angell, Dr. Anne A..	\$10 00	Butler, Miss R.....	\$10 00
Appleton, Miss M....	5 00	Butler, Miss H. C....	5 00
Arnold, Mrs. B. G...	10 00	Bridgham, Mrs. S. W	10 00
Arnold, Miss Charlotte		Bowdin, Mrs.....	10 00
B	10 00	Babcock, Mrs. S. D..	10 00
Auchmuty, Mrs. R. J..	25 00	Bacon, Mrs. Daniel..	5 00
Alsop, Mrs. J. W....	10 00	Brown, Miss Stewart.	10 00
Appleton, Mrs. Jno. A	10 00	Blodgett, Mrs. W. T.	10 00
Appleton, Mr. W. H..	10 00	Bissell, Anna E... ..	10 00
Appleton, Mrs. W. H.	10 00	Billings, Mrs. Fred..	10 00
Appleton, Mrs. Geo. S.	10 00	Bradford, Mrs. W. H.	10 00
Appleton, Mrs. Sidney		Bartlett, Mrs. Edwin.	10 00
D	10 00	Brandreth, Mrs. B...	10 00
Anderson, Mrs. Henry		Bird, Mrs. George...	5 00
H.....	10 00	Baker, Mrs. L.....	10 00
Adams, Mrs. Thatcher		Betts, Mrs. G. F.....	10 00
M.	10 00	Bowen, Mrs. James..	10 00
Angell, Miss J. J....	5 00	Bennett, Mrs. J. S...	10 00
Arnold, Mrs. F. B...	10 00	Bloodgood, Miss.....	5 00
Auchincloss, Mrs.		Blatchford, Mrs.....	5 00
Hugh	10 00	Banks, Mrs. David, Jr	5 00
Auchincloss, Mrs. Jno	10 00	Banks, Mrs David. .	10 00
Allen, Mrs. Daniel B.	10 00	Blagden, Mrs. George	10 00
Aldrich, Mrs. H. D..	10 00	Bryce, Mrs. William.	10 00
Agnew, Mr. A. McL.	10 00	Bouton, Mrs. John B.	5 00
Archibald, Mrs. E. M.	5 00	Butler, Mrs. Chas. E.	10 00
Alden, Mrs. B. R ...	10 00	Beach, Mr. Frederick	
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Bowdin, Mrs. G. A..	10 00	Barnard, Mrs. J. G...	10 00
Beekman, Mrs. J. W.	5 00	Burden, Mrs. J, Town-	
Bruen, Miss M. L....	5 00	send.....	10 00
Brown, Mrs. J. Crosby	10 00	Brooks, Miss Sophia.	10 00
Baylies, Mrs. N. E...	10 00	Bishop, Mrs. J.....	10 00

Blake, Mrs. John Ellis	\$5 00	Cooper, Mrs. Edward	\$10 00
Brown, Mrs. James..	10 00	Coleman, Mrs. Wm..	10 00
Betts, Mr. Wyllys ...	10 00	Crosby, Mrs. Howard	10 00
Bliss, Mrs. George...	10 00	Choate, Mrs. Joseph.	10 00
Baker, Mr. Anson....	10 00	Cowdin, Mrs. E. C...	10 00
Belmont, Mrs. August	10 00		
Brown, Mrs. James M	10 00	DuBois, Dr. Abram..	10 00
Barlow, Mrs. S. L. M.	5 00	DuBois, Mrs. Abram.	10 00
Butler, Mrs. Prescott		DuBois, Miss Kitty..	10 00
Hall.....	10 00	DaCosta, Mr. Charles.	10 00
Barney, Mrs. A. H...	10 00	Dows, Mrs. David...	10 00
Beach, Mr. Miles....	10 00	Dunlap, Mrs. Andrew	5 00
Blake, Mrs. C. F....	5 00	Doughty, Mrs. Wm.	
Bell, Mrs. Isaac....	5 00	Howard	5 00
Butler, Mr. Wm. Allen	10 00	Delano, Mrs. Eugene.	10 00
Banks, Mrs. Francis.	10 00	Delano, Mr. Edward.	10 00
		Dana, Mr. S. B. . . .	10 00
Cruger, Mrs. S. V. R.	10 00	Dana, Mrs. S. B . . .	10 00
Church, Mrs. F. E...	10 00	Dickey, Mrs. Chas. D	10 00
Currier, Mrs. Nathaniel	5 00	Duer, Mrs. Denning, Jr	5 00
Cary, Mrs. W. F., Jr.	5 00	DeForest, Mrs. H. G.	10 00
Crosby, Mrs. E. N...	5 00	DeForest, Mrs. W. H.	5 00
Chisholm, Mrs. Wm.	10 00	DeLafield, Mrs. M. L.	10 00
Churchill, Mrs. Marl-		Draper, Dr. W. H...	10 00
boro.....	10 00	Day, Mrs. Henry....	5 00
Coster, Mrs. Henry..	10 00	Dodge, Mrs. W. E...	10 00
Coddington, Mrs. T. B	10 00	Dodge, Mrs. C. C....	5 00
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Chauncey, Mrs. Fred.	5 00	Dickinson, Mrs. J. S.	10 00
Crocker, Mrs. G. A..	10 00		
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Clark, Mrs. L. C....	5 00	Emmot, Mrs. James..	5 00
Chamberlain, Mrs. Wm	10 00	Evarts, Mrs. W. M..	10 00
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Fellowes, Miss H. D.	10 00	Hall, Mrs. Valentine G.	10 00
Field, Mrs. B. H.....	10 00	Haines, Mrs. John P.	10 00
Fiske, Mrs. J. M.....	10 00	Heckscher, Mrs. C. L.	10 00
Field, Mrs. Cyrus W.	10 00	Higginson, Mr. J. J.	10 00
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Gireaud	5 00	Haydock, Mrs. Robt.	5 00
Foote, Mr. Emerson.	25 00	Haven, Mr. G. G....	10 00
Fogg, Mr. W. H.....	10 00	Howland, Mrs. Mere- dith.....	5 00
Grinnell, Mrs. Irving.	5 00	Hichcock, Mrs. Thos.	10 00
Goodwin, Mr. J. J....	10 00	Harriman, Mrs. Oliver	10 00
Goodwin, Mrs. J. J..	10 00	Holland, Mrs. Dr....	5 00
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Gurnee, Mrs. W. S..	10 00	Hewitt, Mrs. Abram.	10 00
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Griswold, Mrs. Chester	5 00	Isham, Mrs. Chas. B.	5 00
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Gerry, Mrs. Elbridge.	5 00	Jones, Mrs. Colford..	10 00
Goodhue, Mrs. Chas.	5 00	Jones, Mrs. Samuel..	10 00
Graydon, Mr. Clen- denin.....	10 00	Jones, Miss L.....	10 00
Hamilton, Mrs. S. A.	5 00	Jay, Mr. John.....	10 00
Hoyts, Mrs. Henry...	10 00	Jay, Mrs. John.....	5 00
Hamilton, Mrs. Alex.	10 00	Jaffray, Mrs. Edward	10 00
Henry, Mrs. Joshua J.	10 00	Jay, Miss E. C....	10 00
Hemenway, Mrs. C. P.	10 00	Jones, Mrs. Edward	
Hall, Mr. P.....	10 00	Renshaw.....	5 00
Harvey, The Misses..	10 00	Jones, Mrs. Fred.	
Hendricks, Mrs. Ulrich	10 00	Rhineland.....	5 00
Hobson, Mr. Joseph..	10 00	Jones, Miss E.....	5 00
Hobson, Mrs. Joseph.	10 00	King, Mrs. Edward..	5 00
Hurtado, Mr. J. M...	10 00	Kneeland, Mrs. Chas.	10 00
Hobson, Hurtado & Co	20 00	Kahn, Mrs. Hartman.	10 00
Hosack, Miss... ..	5 00	Kissam, Mrs. J. B....	5 00
Humbert, Mrs. Pierre	5 00	Kingsland, Mrs. A. C. Jr	5 00
Hosack, Mrs. P	10 00	Keyser, Mrs. Samuel.	5 00
Humphrey, Mrs. Jas.	10 00	Kernochan, Mrs. F. .	10 00
Hinton, Dr. J. H....	10 00	Lawrence, Mrs. Abram	
Hicks, Mrs. John H..	10 00	R.....	5 00
Hall, Mrs. John H...	20 00		
Hall, Miss Martha...	5 00		

Langdon, Mr. Woodbury.....	\$10 00	McAlpine, Mrs. D. H.	\$10 00
Leavitt, Mrs. Geo. A.	5 00	Minturn, Mrs. John W.	10 00
Lee, Mrs. W. P.	5 00	McVickar, Miss Susan	10 00
Lane, Mrs. David....	10 00	Minturn, Mrs. A. M..	10 00
Leavitt, Miss M. E. . .	5 00	Minturn, Miss E. T..	10 00
Livingston, Mrs. Henry B.....	5 00	Minturn, Mr. William	10 00
Lüling, Mrs. Charles.	10 00	Morgan, Mrs. E. D..	10 00
Low, Mrs. Daniel....	5 00	Miller, Mrs. C. E. . .	5 00
Lowrie, Mrs. John...	5 00	McLanahan, Mrs. J. X.	10 00
Lapsley, Mrs. Howard	5 00	Minturn, Mrs. R. B..	10 00
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Lockwood, Mrs. B...	5 00	Noyes, Mrs. H. D....	10 00
Lenox, Mr. James....	10 00	Olmstead, Mr. F. Law	10 00
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Livingston, Mr. Maturing.....	20 00	Ogden, Mrs. G. B....	5 00
Lorillard, Mr. Louis..	10 00	Otis, Mrs. James....	10 00
Morgan, Mrs. D. P...	10 00	Osgood, Mrs. G. A...	5 00
Morgan, Mrs. W. F..	5 00	Oakley, Mrs. Henry..	5 00
Morgan, Mrs. J. P...	10 00	Ogden, Mrs. G. M...	10 00
McDonough, Mr. A.R.	10 00	Owen, Mrs.	5 00
Morton, Mr. L. P....	10 00	Potter, Mrs. J. Neilson.....	10 00
Morton, Mrs. L. P....	10 00	Phelps, Mrs. Anson G.	10 00
Melville, Mrs. Allen.	10 00	Prime, Mr. Rufus....	10 00
Munzinger, Mrs. Chas.	5 00	Prime, Miss Nina....	10 00
Martin, Miss Emily..	5 00	Pellew, Mrs. Henry..	10 00
Martin, Mrs. Wm....	5 00	Post, Mrs. Joel B...	10 00
Murray, Mr. C. P....	10 00	Parish, Miss.	10 00
McKeever, Mrs. M. F.	5 00	Parsons, Mrs. John E.	25 00
Morgan, Mrs. Matthew	10 00	Pyne, Mrs. Percy R..	10 00
Mortimer, Mrs. W. G.	5 00		
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Miltenberger, Mrs....	10 00		
Morgan, Mrs. W. F..	5 00		

Pinchot, Mrs. James W.	\$10 00	Suydam, Mr. D. Lydig	\$10 00
Prince, Mrs. John D.	5 00	Smith, Mrs. Chas. S.	10 00
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Proudfit, Mrs. Robert.	5 00	Stebbins, Mr. Henry G.	10 00
Perkins, Miss E. P...	5 00	Sturges, Mr. Henry C.	10 00
Parish, Mrs. Daniel..	10 00	Schuyler, Mr. & Mrs.	
Pierrepont, Mrs. Henry		Philip.....	20 00
E.....	5 00	Sloane, Miss Margaret	5 00
Phelps, Mrs. W. W...	10 00	Swett, Mrs. John A...	10 00
Prime, Miss M. R....	10 00	Sands, Miss Katharine	10 00
Payson, Mrs. F.....	10 00	Swift, Mrs. W. H....	10 00
Penniman, Mrs. Geo.	10 00	Stevens, Miss Julia C.	5 00
Purdy, Miss Rose....	10 00	Strong, Miss.....	10 00
Parsons, Mrs. Robert.	5 00	Suydam, Mrs. Chas..	5 00
Post, Mrs. Charles...	10 00	Schermerhorn, Mrs...	5 00
Parkin, Mrs. W. W...	5 00	Schermerhorn, Mrs. W.	
Pell, Mr. Alfred.....	10 00	C.....	5 00
		Stewart, Mrs. James.	10 00
Robinson, Mrs. E.		Schuchardt, Mrs.....	10 00
Randolph.....	10 00	Stokes, Mrs. James..	10 00
Ray, Mr. Robert.....	10 00	Stewart, Mrs. Lisen-	
Renwick, Mrs. H. B..	10 00	ard.....	10 00
Russell, Mrs. Archibald	10 00	Sutton, Mrs. Cornelius	
Robinson, Mrs. Beverly	10 00	K.....	5 00
Read, Mrs. W. G....	10 00	Sutton, Miss.....	5 00
Robbins, Mr. Chandler	10 00	Sedgwick, Mr. Arthur	10 00
Rhineland, Miss Se-		Smith, Mr. Augustine	20 00
rena.....	10 00	Sturges, Miss K. C...	3 00
Robbins, Mrs. G. A...	25 00	Swan, Mrs. B. L....	5 00
Rhoades, Mrs. John A.	20 00	Stone, Mrs. J. O....	5 00
Robb, Miss.....	10 00	Smith, Mrs. Henry Wm.	5 00
Russell, Miss.....	5 00	Sands, Miss Sarah T.	5 00
Redmond, Mr. Gould	5 00	Schieffelin, Mrs. S. B.	5 00
Roberts, Mrs. Mar-		Stoughton, Mrs. E. W.	10 00
shall O.....	10 00	Stuart, Mrs. R. L....	10 00
Romilly, Mr. Henry..	10 00	Schlessinger, Mrs. B.	10 00
Redmond, Mr. Roland	10 00	Shearman, Mrs. W. W.	10 00
Roosevelt, Mrs. C. V. R.	10 00	Schermerhorn, Mr. F.	
Robbins, Mrs. Henry		Augustus.	10 00
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Riker, Mrs. John H...	10 00	erford.....	10 00
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Rogers, Mrs. Henry P.	5 00	Sayre, Mrs. Lewis A.	10 00
Renwick, Mrs. James.	10 00	Strong, Mrs. W. E...	5 00
Rhineland, Mrs. Wm		Sage, Mr. Russell....	10 00
C.....	5 00	Stone, Mrs. A. B....	5 00

Turnbull, Mrs. Henry	\$10 00	Woodworth, Mrs. Robt	\$20 00
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Tileston, Mrs. Thomas	10 00	Wheelwright, Miss C.M	10 00
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Travers, Mrs. Wm. R.	5 00	ville.....	5 00
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Thompson, Mrs. Wm.L	5 00	Waller, Miss.....	5 00
Tiffany, Miss.....	5 00	Wheelwright, Mrs. B.F	10 00
Tatham, Mrs. Chas..	10 00	Wheelwright, Miss E.G	10 00
Tuckerman, Mrs. Lu-		Wells, Mrs. W. H...	5 00
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Taylor, Mrs. Henry..	10 00	Wilkes, Miss Grace..	5 00
Townsend, Mrs. Wm.		Wilkes, Miss H. K...	5 00
Hauxhurst.....	5 00	Woodruff, Mr. Franklin	10 00
Titus, Mrs. G. N.....	5 00	Williams, Miss.....	5 00
Thorne, Mrs. Jonathan	10 00	White, Mrs. J. M....	10 00
Thomas, Mrs. T. G...	5 00	Worthen, Mrs. W. E.	5 00
Thompson, Mrs. David	10 00	Warden, Mrs. F. L...	5 00
Townsend, Mrs. R.L.H	10 00	Weeks, Mr. F. H....	10 00
Tappen, Mrs. J. Nelson	5 00	Wood, Mrs. John D..	10 00
Trevor, Mrs. John B.	10 00	Wickes, Mrs. Edward	
		A.....	5 00
Underhill, Miss M. L.	5 00	Wolfe, Mrs. Joel....	5 00
Underhill, Miss Cora.	5 00	Wolfe, Miss Virginia.	10 00
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BY - LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

This Society shall be known by its incorporated name of "THE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES." (Incorporated February 5th, 1874.)

ARTICLE II.

The object of the Society, as defined by its Charter, is "the selection, education, training and providing of suitable persons as nurses for the sick."

ARTICLE III.

The Society shall report monthly and annually in writing to the "Local Visiting Committee of Bellevue and other public Hospitals of the City of New York," branch of the State Charities' Aid Association.

ARTICLE IV.

The Society shall consist of Honorary Members, Benefactors, Patrons, Members and Associate Members.

ARTICLE V.

The Officers of the Society shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. They shall be elected annually by a two-third vote by ballot of the Board of Managers, from among its numbers. In case of the death or resignation of an officer, a successor for the remainder of the year may be elected by a two-third vote by ballot of the Board of Managers from among its numbers, at any Regular or Special Meeting of the Board of Managers, two weeks' notice having been given in writing, to the Members, by the President or Secretary.

ARTICLE VI.

The President shall preside at all Meetings of the Board of Managers, and shall call Special Meetings at discretion, or upon the written request of three Members. The President shall name the Members of Standing and Special Committees, and shall appoint, annually, an Auditing Committee, of two gentleman, Members of the Society, but not Members of the Board of Managers, to examine and report upon the Accounts of the Treasurer.

ARTICLE VII.

The Vice President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of the President.

ARTICLE VIII.

The Secretary shall perform the duties usually appertaining to this office.

ARTICLE IX.

The Treasurer shall receive, invest and take charge of the funds of the Society, and shall make written Monthly Reports to the board of Managers, of the condition of the Treasury, and a written Annual Report to the President, at the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers.

ARTICLE X.

There shall be a Board of Managers, consisting of not less than eleven members. Five Members of this Board shall be Members of the Local Visiting Committee for Bellevue and other public Hospitals. The Board may make its own By-Laws, and fill vacancies in its own body. The Board may by a two-thirds' vote remove any Member for cause. It shall prepare the Annual Report, and submit it to the Society for approval at the Annual Meeting. It shall hold its Annual Meeting just previous to that of the Society. No Member of the Board of Managers shall receive a salary nor any compensation for services rendered. Five Members of the Board shall constitute a quorum at any Meeting.

The absence of any Member of the Board of Managers from the Meetings of which he or she may be a Member for a consecutive period of three months without giving notice to the Secretary, may be considered by the President as equivalent to a resignation.

ARTICLE XI.

The Board of Managers shall control the management of the school, shall have power to appoint and remove the Superintendent of the school, and shall determine the salaries of all nurses and subordinates.

ARTICLE XII.

The Finance Committee shall, with the Treasurer, manage the finances of the Society.

ARTICLE XIII.

Honorary Members shall be chosen only for important service and valuable aid rendered to the school. They shall be

exempted from the payment of all dues. They shall be nominated by the Board of Managers, and elected by the Society at its Annual Meeting.

ARTICLE XIV.

Benefactors.—Any person who shall give One Thousand Dollars to this Society, shall become a Benefactor, and entitled to all the privileges of Membership without the payment of annual dues. A Benefactor shall have the right to nominate *two pupils*, who, upon conforming to the rules for admission, shall have a preference over all other applicants to the first two vacancies, and be received and trained in the school.

ARTICLE XV.

Patrons.—Any person who shall give Five Hundred Dollars to this Society shall become a Patron, and be entitled to all the privileges of Membership, without the payment of annual dues. A Patron shall have the right to nominate *one pupil*, who, upon conforming to the rules for admission, shall have a preference to the first vacancy, and be received and trained in the school.

ARTICLE XVI.

The annual dues for a Member shall be ten dollars, for an Associate Member, five dollars, payable immediately after election, and subsequently in January of each year. Members shall be entitled to two votes at all Regular and Special Meetings of the Society, and Associate Members to one vote.

ARTICLE XVII.

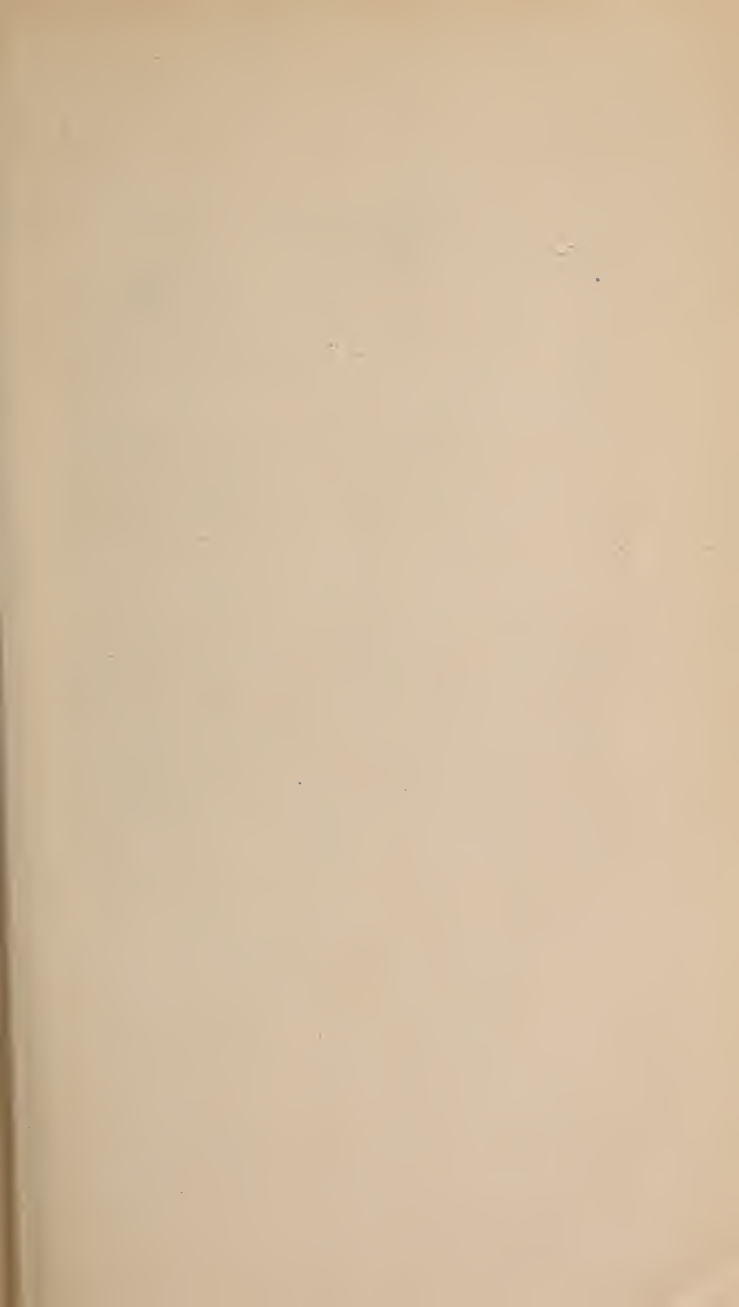
All Members of the Society and Associate Members shall have a preference over all other applicants for the services of nurses.

ARTICLE XVIII.

The Annual Meeting of the Society shall be held on the second Wednesday of January. The fiscal year of the Society shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE XIX.

The By-Laws of the Sub-committees must be in accordance with and subordinate to the By-Laws of the Board of Managers. The By-Laws of the Board of Managers must be in accordance with and subordinate to these By-Laws of the Society. These By-Laws can be amended by a two-thirds vote of Members of the Society or by a majority of the Board of Managers, at any regular or special meeting. The text of the proposed amendment having been sent to each Member a fortnight previously by the Secretary.



FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give to The Training School for Nurses, a Society incorporated in the City of New York in the Year 1874, under the Act for the Incorporation of benevolent, charitable, scientific, and missionary societies, the sum of
dollars for the purposes of said corporation.

